



Docket No.: 54024-039

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
Naoki KUBO, et al. : Confirmation Number: 3128
Serial No.: 10/062,542 : Group Art Unit: 1722
Filed: February 05, 2002 : Examiner: THEISEN, Mary Lynn F.
For: THREE-DIMENSIONAL MOLDING APPARATUS AND THREE-DIMENSIONAL
MOLDING METHOD

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Petition for Extension of Time
Honorable Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

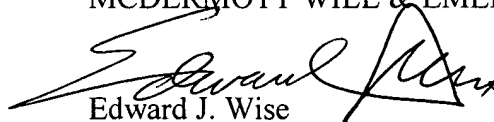
It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated March 17, 2004, now due to expire June 17, 2004, be extended for three month(s) and set to expire on September 17, 2004.

Please charge the extension fee of \$950.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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